

LARGEST CITY OF WEST COAST IS ANNOUNCED

Southern California Metropolitan Outstrips Golden Gate City By 67,070.

LOS ANGELES, 575,480; SAN FRANCISCO 500,410

Five of Twenty Largest Cities in U. S. 1920 Census to Be Heard From.

WASHINGTON, June 9.—San Francisco 500,410, Los Angeles 575,480, Pasadena, Calif., 45,234, Fresno, Calif., 44,616, Stockton, Calif., 40,296.

Increases—San Francisco 91,489, or 20.1 per cent; Los Angeles 256,282, or 80.3 per cent; Pasadena 15,043, or 19.7 per cent; Fresno 19,724, or 79.2 per cent; Stockton 17,943, or 73.3 per cent.

WASHINGTON, June 9.—Los Angeles has outstripped San Francisco and become the largest city west of St. Louis during the last ten years, the census bureau announcement of the populations of the two cities tonight shows.

Los Angeles now has a population of 575,480, an increase of 256,282, while San Francisco has 500,410 inhabitants. Los Angeles rate of growth was 80.3 per cent, compared with San Francisco's rate of 20.1 per cent during the ten years.

Announcement tonight of the populations of San Francisco and Los Angeles, the two largest cities of the western half of the country, left only five of the twenty largest cities of the United States to be heard from in the 1920 census. These five are Chicago, Philadelphia, Cleveland, Detroit, and Kansas City, Mo., and until their populations are made public the ranking of the country's twenty largest cities will remain somewhat doubtful.

San Francisco ranked as eleventh most populous in 1910, with 416,912 inhabitants, having shown an increase of 74,189, or 21.8 per cent during the decade. Los Angeles ranked as seventeenth city in 1910, with a population of 319,198, an increase of 216,719, or 111.5 per cent during the ten years.

San Francisco up to 1910 made its most rapid growth during the decades from 1860 to 1880, while Los Angeles made its most rapid strides during the more recent decades. Of the twenty-two cities of more than 25,000 population, which in 1910 had more than doubled their 1900 population, ten years later Los Angeles had the largest growth numerically and stood fifth in its percentage of increase.

Pasadena was fourth in percentage of increase in 1910, its rate being 22.2 per cent.

San Francisco ranked just under Buffalo, N. Y., in 1910, with 42,000 less people. Buffalo's 1920 population is 505,875; Milwaukee ranked second, just below San Francisco, with 38,000 people less, and now has a population of 47,147.

Los Angeles ranked next below Washington, D. C., in 1910, with about 12,000 people less and just above Minneapolis, with about 18,000 more people. Washington's 1920 population is 437,571, and Minneapolis has 350,498.

NEW YORK, June 9.—The three Pulitzer traveling scholarships in journalism, it was announced at Columbia university tonight, have been awarded to Clyde Allen Beale, San Francisco, Robert Gordon Wasson, or Newark, and Katherine MacMahon of Bloomington, Ill.

DECISION ON LEVER LAW TO BE APPEALED

LINCOLN, Neb., June 9.—United States District Attorney T. S. Allen announced today he probably would appeal to the federal circuit court of appeals from a decision by Federal Judge J. W. Woodruff at Omaha yesterday, holding that that section of the Lever law making it an offense to charge "unjust and unreasonable prices" is unconstitutional.

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HOUSTON SENDS FISCAL REPORT TO BIG BANKERS

WASHINGTON, June 9.—Secretary Houston, writing today to the bankers of the country, declared that the completed operations of the treasury for the fiscal year ending with this month "should show little, if any, deficit, the government having about balanced its budget, current receipts against current disbursements, for the first full fiscal year after the fighting stopped."

"Though the first quarter of the present fiscal year showed a deficit of about \$770,000,000," Mr. Houston said, "in the second quarter there was a surplus of over \$150,000,000, in the third quarter there was a surplus of nearly \$400,000,000, and the fourth quarter should also show a surplus."

The total gross debt of the United States, which on June 30, 1919, amounted to nearly \$25,500,000,000, and on August 31, 1919, amounted to nearly \$26,000,000,000, had been reduced on May 31, 1920, to less than \$23,000,000,000.

The floating debt outstanding (loan and tax certificates), which on June 30, 1919, amounted to over \$5,250,000,000, and on August 31, 1919, to nearly \$4,000,000,000, had been reduced on May 31, 1920, to less than \$2,850,000,000.

"The reduced ordinary and public debt disbursements have made possible a very important reduction in the amount of net balance in the general fund, which has been applied to the reduction of the debt."

CHICAGO, June 9.—While party controversies are going on, the Knox boom has been revived, and during the day it, of all the dark horse booms, seemed to have some new momentum, always taking into consideration the common idea that the convention will turn to other fields if Johnson, Lowden and Wood fail to show strength promising a majority soon after the first few ballots.

One story being told in connection with it was characterized by Senator Johnson, through one of his lieutenants, as "absolutely ridiculous," but was much discussed.

NOMINATION STORIES. This story ran that if no nomination were reached up to the fifth ballot, Senator Johnson would lay his candidacy aside. If the convention would grant to him and Senator Borah unlimited time to discuss the candidacies and pre-convention campaign expenditures of Wood and Lowden, the other angle of the story was that Senator Knox would be brought out as a candidate at that juncture.

Coupled with the general knowledge of close friendship between Senators Johnson and Knox, and their irreconcilable position together against a league in any form, this story furnished the most interesting piece of gossip of the day, although it was thrown down by Senator Johnson.

WOOD TALK RUNNING STRONGER. Wood talk, which began running in a stronger tide last night, seemed not to disturb the Johnson managers. A conference of a dozen or more Johnson advisers late today, it was said, decided on a policy of attempting no tardies or alliances until the start of a break from Wood or Lowden, for which they hope. Their strategy, it was explained, was to leave the Wood and Lowden forces to carry on their own contest and leave the Johnson forces ready to take advantage of any weaknesses which might develop.

The Johnson advisers also predict there will be no hurried break of Johnson instructed delegates away from the senator after they have performed their obligations by voting for him on the first ballots.

MANAGERS STARTING BACKFIRE. Reports that the Johnson instructed delegates from Michigan were ready to swing to another candidate if Johnson failed in the first few ballots, put Johnson managers at work starting back fires at home, and some of the Michigan delegates were said to be getting telegrams informing them they were expected to stick to the Californian. The senator's advisers said they were confident he could hold his delegates until he released them.

MYSTIC ORDER CITY CHOSEN. KANSAS CITY, Mo., June 9.—Atlantic City, N. J., was chosen as the next meeting place of the Mystic Order of the Veiled Prophets of the Enchanted Realm, by the supreme council of the body, which completed a three-day session here today.

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FEDERAL PENITENTIARY, Atlanta, Ga.—When Seymour Steadman, Socialist nominee for vice president, came here to tell Eugene V. Debs, serving ten years for alleged sedition, that he had been named the party's candidate for president, Debs kissed Steadman. He kissed him hard and right out in public, too, and meanwhile held Steadman's hand. Should the Socialists elect their candidates a cabinet meeting might resemble a "decoration day" in France with Marshal Foch distributing the medals to his soldiers. Thus far, it is said, candidates for Republican and Democratic nominations have not been discovered osculating.

JOHNSON WARNS DELEGATES TO STICK TO HIM

CHICAGO, June 9.—Senator Johnson gave notice today that he would take measures of reprisal against any delegate pledged to his support by results of primary election who did not "stick."

Speaking to newspaper correspondents, he declared his opponents were using means of every kind to shake the allegiance of some of his supporters, mentioned "gold," and added that if any delegates broke away, "I'll take his case to his people."

Stoutly Against League. Retorting his opposition to the league of nations, Senator Johnson said that unless the platform committee took a corresponding stand he would "ask the convention and the people of the United States to reject" its proposals.

"The convention is tightening up more and more," he said, "and it will get to balloting day after tomorrow, and as the time approaches my confidence increases."

"I think there'll be quite a number of ballots. We'll not endeavor to start with a tremendous number, but as the ballots are taken, I think you'll observe later that we'll move along."

HUERTA'S ILLNESS DELAYS OATHS

MEXICO CITY, June 9.—(By the Associated Press.)—The illness of Provisional President Adolfo de la Huerta prevented General Pascual Ortiz, who will succeed General Salvador Alvarado as secretary of the treasury, and General Antonio Villareal, who will be secretary of agriculture and development, from taking the oath of office today. It is believed that President de la Huerta will be compelled to submit to an operation speedily.

S. P. ORDERED TO DELIVER 1,000 CARS

FORT WORTH, Tex., June 9.—The interstate commerce commission today ordered the Southern Pacific railway to deliver to the Rock Island system at Galveston immediately one thousand freight cars for use in relieving the wheat congestion in Oklahoma and the Texas panhandle. It was announced at the Rock Island general offices.

BAR SILVER TAKES VIOLENT DROP ON N. Y. EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, June 9.—Bar silver experienced another violent decline abroad and in the local market today. The London quotation added 2 1/2 pence to yesterday's break of slightly more than sixpence and brought the price down to 45 1/2 pence per ounce. This is just a fraction more than one-half the high record price for the metal last February.

In this market the price was as low as 41 cents.

Suffrage Alliance Will Be Continued

GENEVA, June 9.—The International Woman Suffrage Alliance congress today decided that the alliance should be continued to secure suffrage and equal rights with men for the women of all nations. This decision was put in the form of an amendment to article 11 of the constitution.

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A Few More Mid-Month Hits

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| Tired of Me—Lewis James | \$1.00 | Sunshine Rose—George Meader | \$1.00 |
| Railroad Blues—Fox-trot | | Hiawatha's Melody of Love—Medley Walz | |
| Yerkes' Southern Five | A-2929 | —Prince's Orchestra | A-6150 |
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